

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

1. (Original) A printing machine arm and press combination in which the printing machine has a pallet arm for supporting an article to be printed and the press includes
  - a) a platen frame, adapted to encompass the pallet arm, mounted on a support and moveable vertically relative to said support
  - b) an upper platen, adapted to lie above the pallet arm, mounted to the platen frame
  - c) a lower platen mounted on the platen frame the lower platen being positioned below the pallet arm upwardly moveable to abut the pallet arm
  - d) control means which allows the frame to move downwardly when the lower platen is raised.
2. (Original) A transfer heat press which includes
  - a) a platen frame mounted on a support and moveable vertically relative to said support
  - b) an upper platen mounted to the platen frame incorporating means to heat said upper platen
  - c) a lower platen mounted on the platen frame the lower platen being moveable toward the upper platen
  - d) control means which allows the frame to move downwardly when the lower platen is raised toward the upper platen.
3. (Original) A transfer heat press as claimed in claim 2 in which the platen frame is a C shaped frame.
4. (Original) A transfer heat press as claimed in claim 2 in which the platen frame is supported by a pneumatic or hydraulic ram.
5. (Currently amended) A transfer heat press as claimed in ~~any preceding~~ claim 1 in which the lower platen reciprocates relative to the press frame.